

SELF-PRESERVATION IS THE FIRST LAW OF NATURE

Every one who requires the use of medicines should exercise great care in purchasing none but Pure, Fresh and First-Class articles, and none but competent Druggists should be allowed to fill prescriptions. We feel justified in saying that we can give the people of Ashtabula the benefit of all these.

We have none but new and reliable goods, and a man thoroughly competent to handle and compound them.

Should you have Prescriptions and Recipes of any kind you wish filled, we cordially ask you to give us a trial. We guarantee satisfaction in every case.

We keep a full line of Drugs, Dye Stuffs, Toilet Articles, and Druggist Sundries, also a fine assortment of Stationery, including all the latest styles and qualities, as well as common grades.

Should you wish anything in our line not in stock, we will procure the same on short notice and at reasonable rates.

A. R. THURBER & CO.,
Ashtabula House Block.

PROCLAMATION!

B. WEBB & SON
Will open up their entire Stock of

CLOTHING

For 60 Days at Cost!

Commencing January 1st, for

CASH AND CASH ONLY!

We take this method to reduce our Stock to make room for new goods.

Now is the time to Save Money by putting the Profits in your own pocket.

We Mean Business and no Humbug!

We do not expect to bring in new goods at the same rate. First come first served. Let us make lively times the dull part of the season.

B. WEBB & SON.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM

Is the Best and cheapest preparation ever made for restoring and improving the hair. It is entirely harmless, and free from the cheap and impure ingredients that render many other preparations injurious. It is exquisitely perfumed, and so perfectly and elegantly prepared as to make it a toilet luxury, indispensable to those who have once used it. It removes Tan, Greys and stops the Hair falling. It renders the Hair vigorous and beautiful. It preserves its luxuriance when abundant, and restores its Color and Life when Gray, harsh and decaying.

Sold by Druggists and Dealers generally.

SPECIAL SALE

Carriages!

We offer for sale a large stock of finely finished Carriages at

Greatly Reduced Prices.

for the next sixty days. Our stock consists of

PHLETONS, COAL BOXES, YACHTS, PIANO-BOX BUGGIES, EXPRESS WAGONS, TRACK SULKIES, &c.

Our Work is Fully Warranted

as we use the nothing but the Best Material and employ none but First-Class Workmen.

Special attention given to Repairing, Painting and Trimming.

Factory and Wareroom in Phenix Block, North Main Street.

THORPE & PFAFF.

ASHTABULA, Jan. 1st, 1877.

REMOVAL OF WHOLESALE JEWELRY HOUSE.

Our large and increasing business demands more room, and we will, after April 1st, 1877, occupy 30 and 32 doors of "The Western Building," 77 Pitt Avenue (nearby opposite our present location), and will offer to the trade one of the largest and best stocks of Jewels, Watches, Diamonds, Clocks, Bronzes, Jewelry, Silver and Plated Ware, &c. Close Cash Buyers Invited.

G. B. BARRETT & CO., 77 Pitt Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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WALLACE'S NATIONAL WORM

WALLACE'S NATIONAL WORM AND SICK-HEADACHE CURE.

WALLACE'S NATIONAL HOME AND CATTLE POISON.

Are the BEST in the market. Enquire for them at your nearest drug store, and if they do not go good back and get your money.

If not to be obtained at your nearest drug store, they will be sent post-paid, on receipt of price—50 cents per box, 1 box 100 cents.

WALLACE & PORTER, 211 Main Street, Columbus, Ohio.

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VULCAN IRON WORKS

PORTABLE, STATIONARY & MARINE

ENGINES!

SHAFTING, PULLEYS, HANGERS, &c.

Gas Pipe & Fittings

on hand and got to order. Also

BRASS & MALLEABLE IRON STEAM FITTINGS.

Engines, Boilers and Mill Gearing, and

Castings of Every Description

We would call attention to our New Style of

PAINT ENGINES and BOILERS, Throats and

Wood-sawing, and for general farm work etc.

We also manufacture

UPRIGHT & CIRCULAR SAW MILLS

to order. Also, Cider Mills, Cheese and Jack

Saws on hand and made to order. Brass and

Iron Castings made to order.

Those wishing inquiry in our line, would do

well to call and see us before purchasing elsewhere.

Office and works corner Nathan and Camp sts.,

Ashtabula, O.

L. B. McINTYRE & BROTHER.

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Proprietors.

AT

RIDDELL'S STORE!

you can save money by purchasing

Teas, Coffees, Sugars,

SPICES, TOBACCOES, CIGARS,

SOAP, POWDER, SHOT, LARD,

OIL, PORK, FISH

and everything in the

Grocery and Provision

line and also,

Gents' Underwear, Scarfs,

and Hosiery,

Ladies' Felt Skirts, Nubias,

SCARFS, HOSIERY, GLOVES AND

NOTIONS.

Remember the place,

A. H. TYLER'S BRICK BLOCK, OPPOSITE

THE POST OFFICE.

Ridgell's Store.

Highest Cash Price paid for Produce.

H. RIDDELL.

Something Every Family Needs.

Gowley & Co's infallible cure and prevention

of cholera, dysentery, and all the diseases of

children. Try a bottle, price 75 cents. Sent

at once by mail. Liberal discount to the trade.

Agents: Wallace & Porter, 211 Main Street,

Philadelphia.

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Silver Coin.

Advices from Washington City

say that the total amount of subordi-

nary silver coin issued thus far ex-

ceeded twenty-five millions of dollars,

the limit fixed by law being fifty

millions. This latter was thought

at the time it was fixed to be ex-

cessive. But it is now positively known

to scientists and financiers that at

no time has the Republic ever had

anywhere near an excessive supply

of small currency of any kind, either

in paper or coin. In the British

islands the total amount of silver in

circulation is about one hundred and

sixty millions of dollars. Those who

give a lower figure do so by omit-

ting Ireland. In Germany the same

amount has always been required,

and the Bank of France now has

that amount of silver in preparation

for resumption. These are highly

civilized, densely populated coun-

tries, but of smaller extent compared

with ours, and therefore able to

economize in circulation. In our

own case we never had nominally

more than forty millions of dol-

lars of small notes in use, and it is

now known that of that amount

fully sixteen millions was destroyed

and not available. Yet the currency

was supposed to be inflated. Now

it is more than probable that the

whole fifty millions of silver

will be coined and issued without

any way proving an excessive supply.

The President and Director of the

Mint both recommend a large in-

crease of the amount, and it is even

likely that the limit fixed will be

one hundred millions. The silver

measures of the Government have

been so decidedly popular and suc-

cessful, that the lower house Con-

gress has passed, by the overwhelm-

ing majority of one hundred and

sixty-seven, a bill to repeal the de-

monetization act. This restores the

old silver dollar which was by law

a legal tender to the amount of ten

dollars, and should the bill become

a law, as is now probable, the coin-

age of the silver dollars will be re-

sumed. The main trouble is that

silver, instead of being superabund-

ant, is really scarce, the Director of

the Mint saying that there is not in

the country, except in coins, plate,

and in the arts, more than the value

of three millions of dollars.

Crime in New York.

The city is full of it. Men are

killing women—women are killing

men, and cashiers are getting away

with the balances. The gamblers

are getting their harvest in, and in

short, the ten commandments are

having a hard time of it. A curious

case came to the surface yesterday.

The confidential man in a Wall

street banking house was suspected

by the president of using money that

belonged to the bank. The presi-

dent, to assure himself, put a detec-

tive on the track, and it was made

certain that he was living in a

religion way ahead of his salary,

and that he could not carry his ex-

penses without stealing at least ten

thousand a year. The president took

him into his private office and in-

formed the cashier that all his out-

goings and incomes were known, and

that he spent his nights at a certain

house up town—that he paid the

rent of the house, and the expenses

of the lady who lived in it; and that

he didn't go any further for the

clerk interpreted him.

"You are mistaken sir. I do spend

a great deal of my time in the

house, and it costs a great deal of

money, but I do not pay it. In my

The Sun Jumps a Day.

Chatham Island, lying off the

coast of New Zealand, in the South

Pacific Ocean, is peculiarly situated,

as it is the only point of the

globe where the day of the week

changes. It is just in the line of

demarcation between dates. There

high 12 or noon comes, and instant-

ly Monday meridian begins. Sun-

day comes into a man's house on the

east side, and becomes Monday by

the time it passes out the western

door. A man sits down to his noon-

dinner on Sunday, and to his